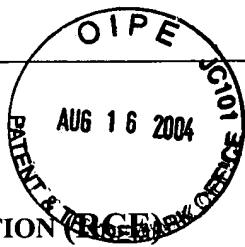


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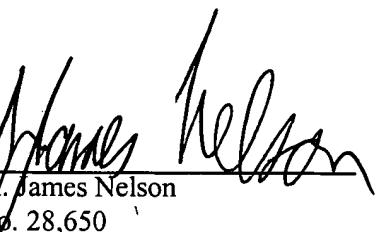
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<i>Examiner Name</i>	Edward J. Webman
<i>Attorney Docket Number</i>	1195.157US1
<i>Customer No.</i>	21186

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application entitled EMULSIONS FOR IN-SITU DELIVERY SYSTEM.

Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

1.  Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on July 2, 2004.
2.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on .
3.  An Amendment Under 37 CFR § 1.116 ( pages ) is enclosed.
4.  A new power of attorney ( pages ) is enclosed.
5.  An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed ( pages ).  
 a. Form(s) 1449  
 b. Copies of IDS Citations
6.  A check in the amount of \$770.00 is attached to pay the RCE filing fee required under C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
7.  **The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge any fees set forth in 37 CFR §§ 1.16 through 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.**
8.  A Petition for Extension of Time in the prior application (1 page) is enclosed along with a check in the amount of \$310.00 to pay the extension fee.
9.  Others: Clarification Communication (1 pg.).

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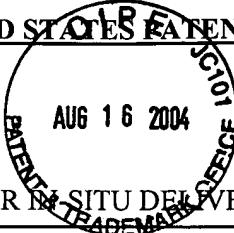
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CLARIFICATION COMMUNICATION

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Applicants appreciate the Advisory Action mailed on August 2, 2004 and are submitting with this Clarification Communication a Request for Continued Examination. The Examiner stated in Paragraph 3 of the Advisory Action that Applicant's response has overcome the 102(e) rejection. Applicants believe the Examiner meant to say 102(b) and not 102(e). Clarification to this request is earnestly requested with the next Official Communication.

Conclusion

Applicants respectfully submits that the claims are in condition for allowance and notification to that effect is earnestly requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's attorney at (612) 373-6939 to facilitate prosecution of this application.

If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

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